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Project: U. R. Mass. 2-3
West End Project
Boston, Mass.

Mr. Kane Simonian
Executive Director
Boston Redevelopment Authority
73 Tremont Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts

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AUTHORITY.

Dear Mr. Simonian:

As requested by your letter of May 27, 1958, I have reviewed the loose leaf preliminary draft of the proposed specifications for the demolition contract on the referenced project, as prepared by your office.

The typed material, plus the pencilled annotations by your staff and certain other changes discussed with Mr. Orpin in this office, constitute, in my opinion, an adequate basis for the preparation of the final draft, as it will be issued to bidders.

I recommend that the demolition contractor shall not be restricted to the use of hand labor in any particular phase of the demolition operation.

Also, that the demolition and related work shall be bid and awarded as one contract for the whole area, rather than splitting it into four contracts.

When you have prepared the documents, as they will be issued, to bidders, please send me two sets of the specifications and related plans, together with the opinion of your attorney as to their legal adequacy.

Very truly yours,

DEXTER B. HILL
Field Engineer

cc: Mr. Clogston (2)